

NOTICE

The Executive Secretary of the Utah Solid and Hazardous Waste Control Board has entered into a Stipulation and Consent Order with Dugway Proving Ground and the Product Manager for Non-Stockpile Chemical Materiel (PMNS) to utilize the Explosive Destruction System to treat eight, 4.2 mortar rounds containing mustard chemical agent and 58 containers of various chemical agents currently stored at Dugway Proving Ground in Igloo G.

A Destruction Plan has been developed, which contains all the procedures and technical details for the safe treatment of these munitions and containers. This Destruction Plan will now undergo a 30-day public comment period, after which the Executive Secretary will approve, or modify and approve the Plan for treatment of these items.

The public comment period for this Destruction Plan will begin on March 10, 2009 when the public notice is published in the Salt Lake Tribune, the Deseret News, and the Tooele Transcript. The comment period will end on April 9, 2009. Copies of the Destruction Plan will be available for public review throughout the comment period during normal business hours, or other hours with prior arrangement, at the following location:

Division of Solid and Hazardous Waste
Utah Department of Environmental Quality
288 North 1460 West, 4th Floor
Salt Lake City UT.

Written comments will be accepted until 6:00 p.m. on April 9, 2009 and should be submitted to:

Dennis R. Downs, Executive Secretary
Utah Solid and Hazardous Waste Control Board
P.O. Box 144880
Salt Lake City UT 84114-4880.

For further information, contact Doug Taylor, Environmental Scientist, Division of Solid and Hazardous Waste, (801) 538-6170. In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, individuals with special needs (including auxiliary communicative aids and services) should contact Jennifer Burge, Office of Human Resources at (801) 536-4413 (TDD 536-4414).